

**THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS AND SAFETY OF THE CIVIL CITY OF NEW ALBANY, INDIANA, HELD ITS REGULAR MEETING ON TUESDAY, AUGUST 1, 2006 IN THE ASSEMBLY ROOM ON THE THIRD FLOOR OF THE CITY-COUNTY BUILDING.**

**PRESENT:** Anthony B. Toran, President, Matt Denison, Chief of Police Merl Harl, Traffic Division Supervisor Officer Joe Lewis, Fire Chief Ron Toran, Deputy Fire Chief Stanley Mason, City Clerk Marcey Wisman, Street Department Director Joddie Johnson, Flood Control Director Ron Granger, Building Commissioner Ron Hartman, Controller Kay Garry, and Animal Shelter Director David Hall.

**CALL TO ORDER:**

**Mr. Toran called the meeting to order at 10:02 a.m.**

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:**

**NEW BUSINESS:**

**Item #1 - Thomas Byrd, Byrd & Sturgeon, 141 E. Spring Street, re: lot next door and sidewalk in front of office**

**Mr. Byrd was not present.**

**Item #2 - Jack Mazzina, Southwestern Publishing Company, re: solicitor's permit**

**Mr. Mazzina** addressed the board to apply for a solicitors permit to sell educational books door to door for the Southwestern Publishing Company.

**Officer Bailey** voiced his concerns about some of the companies that sell door to door in the area without permits and the complaints received by the citizens.

**There was a lengthy discussion regarding Southwestern Publishing Company and the fact that they have been selling in this area for many years without any negative incidents.**

**Mr. Denison moved to approve, Mr. Toran second, all voted in favor.**

**Item #2 - Officer Lewis, Morgan Mason, 3802 Lola Dell, re: stop sign on Rainbow Drive and turning light at Rainbow Drive and Blackiston Mill Road**

**Officer Lewis** requested on behalf of Morgan Mason for a four way stop at Rainbow Drive and Blackiston Mill Road.

**Mr. Toran** asked him to investigate this and come back to the board with a recommendation.

**Item #3 - Tony Cummins re: blocking Olive Avenue to repair 3 sewer lines.**

**Mr. Cummins was not present.**

**Item #4 - Marcey Wisman, Depauw United Methodist Church re: permission to cut down tree blocking their sign.**

**Ms. Wisman** requested on behalf of the Depauw United Methodist Church permission to cut down the tree on the sidewalk that is blocking their sign.

**Mr. Toran** stated that if they are willing to cut it down at their expense and replace it with a shrub he saw no problem with them doing so.

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**OLD BUSINESS:**

**COMMUNICATIONS - CITY OFFICIALS:**

**Deputy Chief Mason** reported that they will be putting an ad in the Tribune for new recruits for the fire department. He stated that they will be taking applications between August 7 and August 31.

**COMMUNICATIONS – PUBLIC:**

**BIDS:**

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES:**

**Mr. Denison** made a motion to approve the July 18 Minutes, **Mr. Toran** second, all voted in favor.

**ADJOURN:**

**There being no further business to go before the board, the meeting adjourned at 10:11 a.m.**

**Respectfully submitted,**

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**Anthony B. Toran, President  
Board of Public Works & Safety**

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**Marcey Wisman, City Clerk  
Civil City of New Albany, Indiana**

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